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: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONCENTRATING : AND DETECTING PATHOGENIC MICROBES

: FROM BLOOD PRODUCTS AND/OR THEIR

: DERIVATIVES

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicants enclose Form PTO-1449 together with a copy of one (1) publication. Also, enclosed is a Japanese Office Action dated May 13, 2008, and its English Translation. The documents are submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

The Applicants respectfully request that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be officially entered into the file and that appropriate notification be made that it was considered by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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